

**MINUTES OF A PUBLIC HEARING HELD BEFORE THE  
COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JASPER, INDIANA  
SEPTEMBER 4, 2014**

A public hearing was held on Thursday, September 4, 2014, in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 610 Main Street, Jasper, Indiana.

**Call to Order.** Presiding Officer Mayor Terry Seitz called the public hearing to order at 8:00 a.m.

**Roll Call.**

Mayor Terry Seitz	Present
Council members:	
Gregory Schnarr	Present
David Prechtel	Present
Thomas Schmidt	Present
Earl Schmitt	Present
Kevin Manley	Absent
Randall Buchta	Absent
Raymond Howard	Present
City Attorney Renee Kabrick	Present
Clerk-Treasurer Juanita S. Boehm	Present
Financial Coordinator Sharon Sander	Present

Clerk-Treasurer Juanita Boehm announced that in order to have a quorum for the hearing, a majority of the council members must be in attendance. Five of the seven council members were in attendance which is a majority; therefore, there was a quorum for the hearing.

**Pledge.** Mayor Seitz invited all those present to join him in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Purpose.** Mayor Seitz said the purpose of the public hearing was to receive public input concerning the proposed budget for the year 2015.

A notice to taxpayers appeared in the Herald on August 23, 2014 and on August 30, 2014. The notice was also posted at City Hall and faxed to the news media.

Mayor Seitz asked for public comments. No public comments were received.

Thereafter, a **motion** was made by Council member Thomas Schmidt and seconded by Council member Earl Schmitt to close the public hearing. The motion carried 5-0 and the hearing closed at 8:02 a.m.

The minutes were hereby approved \_\_\_\_ with   X   without corrections or clarification this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2014.

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**Mayor Terry Seitz, Presiding Officer**

**Attest:**

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**Juanita S. Boehm, Clerk-Treasurer**